## BATTLE FIELDS OF THE SIEGE OF PETERSBURG, VA.

## COMMUNICATION

FROM

## THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

TRANSMITTING

A SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1925, TO REMAIN AVAILABLE UNTIL JUNE 30, 1926, FOR THE WAR DEPARTMENT FOR THE COMMISSION FOR INSPECTION OF BATTLE FIELDS OF THE SIEGE OF PETERSBURG, VA., IN THE SUM OF \$3,000, TOGETHER WITH A LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR OF THE BUREAU OF THE BUDGET

FEBRUARY 26 (calendar day, March 2), 1925.—Read; referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed

THE WHITE HOUSE, Washington, February 28, 1925.

The PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith for the consideration of Congress a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1925, to remain available until June 30, 1926, for the War Department, \$3,000.

The details of this estimate, the necessity therefor, and the reason for its submission at this time are set forth in the letter of the Director of the Bureau of the Budget transmitted herewith, with whose comments and observations thereon I concur.

Respectfully,

CALVIN COOLIDGE.

BUREAU OF THE BUDGET, Washington, February 28, 1925.

Str: I have the honor to submit herewith for your consideration, and upon your approval for transmission to Congress, a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1925, to remain available until June 30, 1926, for the War Department for

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the Commission for Inspection of Battle Fields of the Siege of Petersburg, Va., \$3,000.

Commission for Inspection of Battle Fields of the Siege of Petersburg, Va., fiscal year 1925: For every expenditure requisite for and incident to the work of the commission authorized by the act entitled "An act to provide for the inspection of the battle fields of the siege of Petersburg, Va.," approved February 11, 1925, to remain avaiable until June 30, 1926 (act Feb. 11, 1925) (submitted) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \$3,000

The act entitled "An act to provide for the inspection of the battle fields of the siege of Petersburg, Va. (Public, No. 392, 68th Cong.), approved February 11, 1925, authorizes an appropriation of \$3,000 for the purpose of inspecting the battle fields of the siege of Petersburg, Va., in order to ascertain the feasibility of preserving and marking such fields for historical and professional military study. The purpose of this estimate is to enable the commission to carry out the provisions of the above-mentioned act.

This estimate is required to provide for legislation which has been enacted since the transmission of the Budgets for the fiscal years 1925 and 1926, and its approval is recommended.

Very respectfully,

H. M. Lord,
Director of the Bureau of the Budget.

The PRESIDENT.

Supplemental estimate of appropriation required for the service of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1925, by the War Department

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